REMARKS

Claims 1-37 are pending in the application and are subject to restriction and/or election requirement. The claims have been restricted under 35 U.S.C. 121 as follows:

I. Claims 1-24, drawn to wrench for engaging round members, classified in class 081, subclass 057.16.

II. Claims 25-29, drawn to method of handling (gripping) a tubular, classified in class 081, subclass 57.36.

III. Claims 30-33, drawn to method of assembly, classified in class 029, subclass 428.

IV. Claims 33-37, drawn to method and apparatus for handling a tubular, classified in class 081, subclass 57.21.

Applicants provisionally elect Group I, without traverse. New claims 38-48 have been added. Having addressed all issues set out in the office action, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal or modification of the restriction requirement. Applicants respectfully request prosecution of claims 1-24 and new claims 38-48.

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